

Running of Ganley and Shipke Makes Browns Appear Foolish

Team Shows Lack of Headwork During Washington's
Great Rally That Wins Final Game—Don't
Look Like Pennant Winners.

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We should hate to have a mean disposition like Jimmy McAleer has today. Taking that game from him yesterday, making it three out of five for Washington in the series, was indeed a cruel blow to a man who really thinks he is going to win the pennant.

Mr. McAleer has a right to be vexed over the showing of his team yesterday, for the game was deliberately thrown away by the Browns, but his fretfulness over nursing that large red apple that Manager Cantillon and the Washington fans experienced as a result of Washington throwing away both games in the double-header on Monday.

We are glad it's cool today, otherwise the violent mental exercise involved in trying to figure baseball luck would be too much. That Washington should not have lost either of Monday's games was perfectly plain, while that it had little right to that of yesterday was equally clear and upstanding. Not that Washington did not deserve to win. Far from such, but it was a grievous mistake on the part of the Browns which gave the Nationals the opportunity.

The principal credit must go to Shipke and Ganley for their baserunning. What really saved the day was Ganley's quick grasp of the situation in the eighth inning after Milan had hit to Williams, who easily threw out Milan to Spencer, but Milan came in on a long slide and kicked up so much dust and commotion that the entire Brown infield got off the job to watch the play. Ganley reached first, and after Milan was out noticed the Browns were so busy sighing with relief and congratulating themselves that they paid no attention to their respective positions.

Grasping the situation, Ganley hustled to second. This stunt put the Brown infield up in the air higher than Prof. Crow's high diving stand. Shipke created a diversion by attempting to steal home while the Browns were excitedly shouting around Ganley. He was caught off the bag a long way, but slid under Ferris' arm to safety when he saw he could not make the plate. From the press box it looked like Shipke was touched by Ferris, but Empire O'Loughlin and others who were on the line declared he was safe.

So much for that play, which was a classy bit of all-around work for Washington and decidedly lousy for the opposition. The Browns have played nothing in Washington, but certainly nothing that savored strongly of a world's championship, or even vulgarly obstructed itself as pennant-winning stuff, but they had not made any real foolish and amateurish breaks until that incident of Ganley's streak.

Then came the second raw crack of the Browns, showing lack of headwork. Bailey sent a sharp shot to Freeman.

VETS TAKE CHARGE OF ARMY FOOTBALL

WEST POINT, July 16.—Lieut. J. W. Bracher, Seventeenth Infantry, and Lieut. A. C. Tipton, Fifth Infantry, both on duty at Havana, Cuba, have been assigned for duty at West Point and will take charge of the football squad.

The squad numbers between eighty and ninety candidates. These officers have had experience and possess qualities which fit them for the difficult duties of supervising and training the Military Academy team. Tipton was captain of the Army team in 1934 and Bracher was captain of the famous Cornell University team in 1935.

Following is the schedule for next fall's games:

October 3, Tufts; 10, Trinity; 17, Yale; 24, Colgate; 31, Princeton; November 7, Springfield Training School; 14, Washington and Jefferson; 21, Villanova; 28, Navy.

All games are to be played at West Point except the annual contest with the Naval Academy. This game will be played on Franklin Field, Philadelphia.

THREE OUT OF FIVE—EASY PICKINGS!



In this city that Joss broke his winning streak of ten straight victories which was one of the big talks of the American League when his club hit here in May.

The score yesterday was:

	W.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Washington	4	0	1	3	6	0	0	0	0
St. Louis	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Shipke, 2b	4	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
Ganley, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Pickering, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Street, c	4	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0
Freeman, lb	3	0	1	13	6	0	0	0	0
Altizer, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
McBride, ss	2	1	1	3	5	0	0	0	0
Burns, p	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Cates, c	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hughes, p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	7	27	32	2	0	0	0

	W.	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
St. Louis	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Harrell, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, 2b	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallace, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
C. Jones, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. Jones, lb	2	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
Ferris, 2b	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Spencer, c	3	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
Bailey, p	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	2	6	24	8	1	0	0	0

*Batted for Burns.
St. Louis, AB. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Stone, lf. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Harrell, rf. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Williams, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Wallace, ss. 3 0 0 0 0 0 0
C. Jones, cf. 4 1 1 0 0 0 0
T. Jones, lb. 2 0 0 8 0 0 0
Ferris, 2b. 4 0 1 0 2 0 0
Spencer, c. 3 0 0 8 0 0 0
Bailey, p. 2 0 0 0 1 0 0
Totals 32 2 6 24 8 1
Washington 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Earned runs—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 2. First base by errors—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 6. First base on balls—Off Burns, 1; off Bailey, 1. Innings pitched—By Burns, 8; by Hughes, 1. Hits made—Off Burns, 6; off Hughes, 2. By Burns, 2; by Hughes, 1. Base on balls—By Burns, 1; by Bailey, 5. Three-base hit—C. Jones. Two-base hit—Williams (2). Ferris. Sacrifice hits—T. Jones, Spencer. Stolen base—Ganley. Double play—McBride to Freeman. Wild pitch—Bailey. Umpire—O'Loughlin. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

NEW RULES SCORE HIT WITH GOLFERS

LONDON, July 16.—For a long time golfers have been wondering what character the revised rules of the game would take; and the draft of the proposed new rules, which has been issued by the rules committee, and which will be submitted to the extraordinary general meeting of the Royal and Ancient Club on August 21, reveals many interesting points.

Some of the suggested alterations are important. Thus there is no mention that the hand may be used to brush across the line of the putt. It has for some time been felt that this concession stood in danger of being abused, and so, in the new rules, it is proposed that "wormcasts, snow and ice may be scraped aside with a club, but the club must not be laid with more than its own weight upon the ground, nor must anything be pressed down, either with the club or in any other way." Thus the hand must not come into contact with the putting green. The penalty is the loss of the hole. There is as hitherto, permission to remove any loose impediment from the green.

Another important alteration is in the special rules for stroke competitions. It is suggested that "if, at any hole, a competitor play his first stroke from outside the limits of the teeing ground he shall count that stroke, tee a ball, and play his second stroke from within the limits. The penalty for a breach of this rule shall be disqualification." Under the pre-existing code, driving from outside the limits of a teeing ground entails instant disqualification, no permission to play a second shot being accorded. It may be remembered that last year the Hon. Maurice Scott, who would otherwise have won very easily, disqualified himself from the Australian open championship owing to a mistake of the kind mentioned.

MAY HAVE TROUBLE TO MAKE DEPOSIT

Tex Rickard Hustling for Coin to Bind Gans-Nelson Fight.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 16.—Although Tex Rickard, the fight promoter, has until Saturday to make his second deposit of \$30,000 to make good the \$50,000 purse for the Gans-Nelson fight, the impression is growing here that he may have trouble in getting the coin.

Such a rumor naturally was started after Rickard's statement he must have a certain rate from the railroad companies before he went ahead with his arrangements. Nor has his position been strengthened by the fact that he left for Nevada without making any announcement of his departure.

Rickard had a business appointment with one of the men interested in the fight for Monday night, but failed to show up or give any reason for not doing so. His friends say he has gone to Elly to hustle for the coin.

Meanwhile Packey McFarland and Freddie Welsh are on the ground and eager to fight Nelson should the Gans match fall through. McFarland thinks he should have the preference because of the men he has knocked out.

Welsh claims he has an equal right because he got a draw with McFarland when he really deserved a decision. At any rate, Nelson will have to fight one of these lightweights, unless he decides he is entitled to six months' rest.

PICK-UPS OF THE AMATEURS

DEPARTMENT LEAGUE

The Warriors take special delight in defeating the leaders. It was the Warriors who started Treasury's slump some time ago which lost them the leadership, and the Warriors by defeating Commerce and Labor yesterday, pushed the Laborites out of first place.

On several occasions in the Commerce and Labor-War game the Laborites had two men on bases, and a hit would have won the game, but the heavy hitting Trust Busters could not deliver the goods.

The Sailors had the Treasures on the anxious seat at the end of the sixth inning. A batting feat, however, soon got the Money Counters out of the woods.

Miesler and Ogle put up the prettiest pitchers' battle that has been seen on the White Lot this year. Miesler allowed the fewer number of hits, but Ogle fanned the big Warrior in strike outs.

Interstate plays Treasury for the sixth time next Saturday. Of the five games heretofore played each has won one and three have been ties.

The close score in the Commerce and Labor-War game kept the fans on the anxious bench throughout.

A three-cornered tie for pennant honors may be the result of yesterday's game.

INDEPENDENCE LEAGUE

Yesterday's contest was a hard one for Manhattan to lose. In the ninth inning they filled up the bases with two out, and Brooks was sent to bat for Puntney. He popped up a foul near third base that Brewer got after a hard run.

Brewer played a good game in the field for the winners. He made three difficult stops in the seventh, retiring

runners at first, and closed the game with a circus catch off Brooks' bat in the ninth.

Haynie's batting figured in Wallach's victory. The long second-sacker connected for a triple and two singles, his single in the eighth driving in Wallach's first run.

Falmer played the second cushion for Manhattan in fine style. He pulled down two hard liners, bagged a Texas leaguer back of shortstop, and made a wonderful one-hand stop of Lynch's grounder in the first inning.

Allen proved himself to be a pitcher of class. While a little wild, he was steady with men on the sacks, and held his opponents down to three hits. His team held well behind him.

R. R. Y. M. C. A. LEAGUE

Schaefer drove one of Rupert's out-curtains over third for a homer. The sphere went so far that he crossed the plate before it was recovered.

Although M. Turner did not prove effective as a pitcher, he covered first sack in great style. The big fellow led in batting with four bingles.

In the seventh, Osborne threw Sullivan out at first on a hit. Sullivan took his time and Osborne's throw snagged him.

Because of the recent strike the shopmen were without several of their best players.

Taylor nearly went under by a blow from Rupert's swift inshoot.

Joe Hurney's management is beginning to bear fruit. Since Joe assumed charge of the station team it has won one and tied one. The team has improved in team work and fielding.

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